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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

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November 8, 2007

Mr. Vernon Williams Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, Suite 100 Washington, D. C. 20024

Attn: Recordation of Railroad Equipment

Re: Memorandum of Lease Agreement

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) originals and one (1) copy of a Memorandum of Lease Agreement dated October 19, 2007, a secondary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents. The enclosed document relates to the Lease Agreement which was duly filed with the Surface Transportation Board under Recordation Number 25641-A.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

First Union Rail Corporation

One O'Hare Centre

6250 River Road, Suite 5000

Rosemont, IL 60018

Lessee: Ace Ethanol, LLC

815 W. Maple Street

Stanley, WI 54768

A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is nine (9) 4650/4750 cubic foot covered hopper cars, with FURX and NDYX marks (see Exhibit A for car numbers).

A short summary of the document to appear in the index follows:

Memorandum of Lease

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$35.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee. Kindly return one (1) stamped original of the enclosed document to the undersigned along with the additional copies.

If you have any questions regarding the above-referenced matter, please contact me at (847) 384-5387. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

erry truly yours.

Georgia Freiburger

Manager of Documentation

Enclosures (ACF 1005)

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OFFICIAL SEAL
GEORGIA FREIBURGER
NOTARY PUBLIC. STATE OF ILLINOIS

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 5-18-2008

#### **MEMORANDUM OF LEASE**

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

THIS MEMORANDUM OF LEASE (the "Memorandum") is made and entered into as of this the 19th day of 15th 2007, by and between First Union Rail Corporation ("Lessor"), a North Carolina corporation. and Ace Ethanol, LLC ("Lessee"), a Wisconsin corporation.

### WITNESSETH:

The undersigned Lessor and Lessee have entered into that certain Lease Agreement (the "Lease"), dated as of July 2, 2004, whereby Lessor has agreed to lease to Lessee certain railcars pursuant to Rider No. 5 to the Lease (the "Rider"), as described in more particular on Exhibit A attached hereto, effective as of September 23, 2007, and subject to the terms, conditions and provisions of the above-mentioned Lease and Rider.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have each caused this Memorandum to be duly executed under seal by their respective officers duly authorized as of the date and year first above written.

|  | LESSOR:  |
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| ATTEST:  | FIRST UNION RAIL CORPORATION  By: State of the state of t |
| By: Susan Großerlaky   | VICE PRESIDENT SALES & MARKETING Title:  |
| Name: SUSAN GROKULSKY  |  |
| Title: AST. DIRECTOR OF DOCUMENTATION                                      | Executed on this 19th day of Cetile, 2007.   |
| [CORPORATE SEAL]   |  |
| STATE OF JLLINOIS  |  |
| COUNTY OF COOK   |  |
| I, GEORGIA TREIBURG  certify that RICHARN F SEYMOUT                        | a Notary Public of the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared before me this day and  |
| acknowledged his/her due execution of the foreg                            | bing Memorandum of Lease.  |
| WITNESS my hand and official stamp or seal, this 19th day of Utoler, 2007. |  |
| <  | J. C.  |
| My Commission Expires:   | Notary Rublic  |
| 5-2008<br>(Notary Public)  |  |

## LESSEE:

|   | ACE ETHANOL, LLC   |
|---|--|
| ATTEST:   | By: Jon Harile   |
| Ву:   | Name: Same: F Bisek  Title: Canadatai Mgg.                   |
| Name: <u>Neal Kemmet</u>  | ٠.   |
| Title: <u>President + General</u><br>Manager  | Executed on this 5th day of October . 2007.                  |
| [CORPORATE SEAL]  |  |
| STATE OF WI COUNTY OF Chippewa  I, LaMae Driev certify that Tames F. Bisek acknowledged his/her due execution of the fore |  |
| WITNESS my hand and official stamp  | or seal, this <u>5</u> day of <u>October</u> , <u>2007</u> . |
|   | Motary Public  |
| Commission Expires:   | · .  |
| 8-29-2010<br>(Notary Public)  | NOTARY S   |

### EXHIBIT A to MEMORANDUM OF LEASE

NUMBER OF CARS: Nine (9)

DESCRIPTION OF CARS: 4650/4750 cubic foot capacity covered hopper cars, equipped with

gravity gates and trough hatches.

### **CAR NUMBERS:**

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FURX 816722
FURX 816726
FURX 818452
FURX 828440
NDYX 822284
NDYX 827679
NDYX 827691
NDYX 829544
NDYX 830699

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